

Message

From: damm, thomas [Damm.Thomas@epa.gov]
Sent: 1/29/2018 9:24:01 PM
To: Bennett, James [bennett.james@epa.gov]
CC: schaffer, joan [schaffer.joan@epa.gov]; kremer, janet [kremer.janet@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: Updated Talking Points - Mountaire

Jim,
Sorry I missed your call. I was in another meeting.
Just a few things I want to be clear on.
Want to know how Mountaire and the consent order fit in with your general statement about working with DNREC to determine the source of the nitrate in the wells.
Also, we have these two lines in the talking points...

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- Earlier this month, Mountaire announced that they were offering to assist 88 homeowners around the facility with alternative water sources (deeper wells, treatment or hook up to public water).

There seems to be a distinction between us working to have Mountaire supply an alternate source and Mountaire offering to assist in providing alternative water.

Let's talk at around 8 rather than email.

Thanks.

Tom

From: Bennett, James
Sent: Monday, January 29, 2018 4:13 PM
To: damm, thomas <Damm.Thomas@epa.gov>
Subject: Re: Updated Talking Points - Mountaire

I get in at 8 will that work
If u need something specific I can email u tonight

On Jan 29, 2018, at 4:10 PM, damm, thomas <Damm.Thomas@epa.gov> wrote:

I'm not leaving for the event until 8:30 tomorrow (Tuesday). If we can talk briefly before that, I'd appreciate it. I'm in at 7:30. Thanks.

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From: damm, thomas
Sent: Monday, January 29, 2018 3:28 PM
To: Bennett, James <bennett.james@epa.gov>
Cc: rogers, rick <rogers.rick@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Updated Talking Points - Mountaire

Jim,
Can you give me a call?
Want to know how Mountaire fits into the statement below.
Thanks.
Tom 4-5560

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From: Bennett, James
Sent: Monday, January 29, 2018 3:12 PM
To: damm, thomas <Damm.Thomas@epa.gov>
Cc: rogers, rick <rogers.rick@epa.gov>
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Thoughts?

EPA is actively working with DNREC to ensure the residents will have access to long term safe drinking water.

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EPA and DNREC are both committed and working collaboratively to find a solution to the contaminated wells.

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From: damm, thomas
Sent: Monday, January 29, 2018 2:56 PM
To: rogers, rick <rogers.rick@epa.gov>; Bennett, James <bennett.james@epa.gov>
Cc: schaffer, joan <schaffer.joan@epa.gov>; kremer, janet <kremer.janet@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: Updated Talking Points - Mountaire

Rick, Jim,
If we had one or two lines to address the question below, what would they be?
Thanks.
Tom

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From: schaffer, joan
Sent: Monday, January 29, 2018 2:48 PM
To: damm, thomas <Damm.Thomas@epa.gov>
Cc: kremer, janet <kremer.janet@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Updated Talking Points - Mountaire

Kate/Tom/Janet --

I just got off the phone with Cosmo -- he would like for us to be able to address the question..."what should EPA tell the 75-80 residents/households?" Thoughts?

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From: damm, thomas
Sent: Monday, January 29, 2018 1:58 PM
To: schaffer, joan <schaffer.joan@epa.gov>
Cc: kremer, janet <kremer.janet@epa.gov>; McManus, Catharine <mcmanus.catharine@epa.gov>

Subject: FW: Updated Talking Points - Mountaire

Joan,

I corrected a typo and made the Order on Consent language consistent. Please use this version. Thanks.
Tom

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From: damm, thomas

Sent: Monday, January 29, 2018 1:35 PM

To: Joan Schafer <schafer.joan@epa.gov>

Cc: McManus, Catharine <mcmanus.catharine@epa.gov>; Bennett, James <bennett.james@epa.gov>;
rogers, rick <rogers.rick@epa.gov>; kremer, janet <kremer.janet@epa.gov>

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Joan,

Attached is an updated set of talking points for Mountaire.

They have been reviewed by Kate and staff.

If you have questions, please advise.

Thanks.

Tom

-----Original Message-----

From: McManus, Catharine

Sent: Friday, January 26, 2018 4:57 PM

To: schaffer, joan <schafer.joan@epa.gov>

Cc: damm, thomas <Damm.Thomas@epa.gov>

Subject: Re: Question

Joan-

We will get something to you by mid-day Monday.

Kate McManus

Acting Director, Water Protection Division EPA Region III

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Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 26, 2018, at 3:03 PM, schaffer, joan <schafer.joan@epa.gov> wrote:

Kate, you shared with us two weeks ago some TPs about Mountaire. Do they need to be updated or is the info current?

I'd like to make sure Cosmo has those tps in case he gets asked a question by a reporter at the PISCES award event.

Thanks.

Joan

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